

# Goodwin Elementary Announcements & Events

Notices for 4/10/15

- UCONN's Family Movie Night Saturday April 18<sup>th</sup>
- Earth Day Suggestions from Goodwin's Green Thumbs Club
- Spring Book Fair Volunteer form
- Big Whale Bash Informational Letter from Susan Muirhead
- Kindergarten Student Visitation Day Thursday May
   21st
- Preschool Screenings for the 2015-2016 School
   Year May 27, 28, & 29th

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Join UCONN's Undergraduate Student Government for a

# Free Fun Filled Family Night

What: Free Outdoor Family Movie Night featuring "Paddington"

When: April 18th at 7 p.m.

Where: The Great Lawn, Located in front of the Wilbur Cross Building between Austin and Beach Rain Location: Information Technology Building C80

Bring: Blankets, Chairs, and Snacks

Snacks will be provided!



#### GOODWIN GREEN THUMBS CLUB SUGGESTS CELEBRATING BY ....

#### **PLANT A GARDEN**

PICK UP LITTER- (RID LITTER DAY ON MAY 2<sup>nd</sup>)

COMPOST YOUR FOOD SCRAPS

RECYCLE PAPER AND PLASTIC

DONATE UNWANTED TOYS AND CLOTHES TO PEOPLE WHO NEED THEM

TEACH OTHERS WHY COMPOSTING AND RECYCLING IS IMPORTANT

TURN OFF THE WATER WHEN YOU'RE NOT USING IT

MAKE YOUR OWN PAPER

**USE A CLOTH NAPKIN WHEN YOU EAT** 

**PLANT A TREE** 

WALK OR BIKE INSTEAD OF DRIVE

These are just a few ideas...can **YOU** think of more ways to help the EARTH?

Share your ideas with your friends and family!!

### Volunteers Needed for the Spring Book Fair!!



The Goodwin Spring Book Fair will be held the week of April 27. Volunteers are needed to set up, pack up and run the book fair during the day.

\*Please check all time slots you would be available and return the bottom of this form to your child's teacher by Wednesday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> OR email Julie Klimkiewicz

at julesklim@hotmail.com with your availability. Thank you! Name:\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: Email Set Up: Friday, April 24 3:30\_\_\_\_\_ Monday, April 27 Tuesday, April 28 Wednesday, April 29 8:30-10:30 8:30-10:30\_\_\_\_\_ 8:30-10:30 10:30-1:00 10:30-1:00 10:30-1:00 3:00-4:00 3:00-4:00\_ 3:00-4:00 6:30-7:30 Pack Up: Thursday 11am \_\_\_\_\_ If you cannot volunteer for a full time slot but would still like to help out, please

write down your availability (day and time)\_\_\_\_

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

The Goodwin School PTO is sponsoring the Big Whale Bash on Saturday, May 16<sup>th</sup>, 2015. The Bash raises money for the many PTO programs that service Goodwin children throughout the school year. These programs have included an artist-in-residence project, assemblies, recess enrichment programs, the "Backpack Brigade", and many other family events. These events, programs and activities are an integral part of meeting Goodwin's mission to prepare our students academically, artistically, emotionally, physically and socially to become thoughtful and productive citizens.

We hope you can help the PTO continue the important work of providing activities for students and their families. During the Big Whale Bash we will be having a Silent Auction where goods and services will be on display for bidding. A donation from your business would be greatly appreciated. The donations will be auctioned off and all proceeds go to fund the PTO programs described above. This fair has the opportunity to reach over 250 families in the Storrs/Mansfield, CT area. We are hoping to have all donated items by May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2015. A receipt with our tax exempt number will be provided upon request.

Thank you for your continued support over the years.

Sincerely,

Susan Muirhead

Principal



#### Goodwin Elementary School Kindergarten Student Visitation Day May 21, 2015

Kindergarten Student Visitation Day at Goodwin School will be Thursday, May 21, 2015 at 8:00-3:50. Children entering Kindergarten for the 2015-2016 school year must be five years of age on or before January 1, 2016. Please call or email the office to set up an appointment if you did not set one up during Parent Orientation Night.

Your child needs to be present and will be meeting with Mr. O'Donnell and Mrs. Clark, our Kindergarten teachers. Please plan to stay for approximately 1 hour. If you have a health concern regarding your child our nurse Mrs. Wiant-Rudd will be available at the visitation for questions.

The Registration forms that you received at the Parent Orientation need to be completed and presented at this visit.

#### FORMS DUE DURING THIS VISIT

- Birth Certificate.
- Proof of Mansfield residency (examples: utility bill, lease or mortgage).
- The health exam record, completed by physician. DUE NOW OR **BEFORE AUGUST 1**<sup>st</sup>. (may be mailed)
- The registration form (completed).
- The language survey form (completed).
- The location of residence form (completed).
- The kindergarten screening-parent questionnaire (completed).
- The green Long Term Transportation form (completed)

PLEASE NOTE THAT YOUR CHILD <u>WILL NOT</u> BE PERMITTED TO START THE 2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR UNTIL PROOF OF RESIDENCY, BIRTH CERTIFICATE, RECORD OF IMMUNIZATIONS AND PHYSICAL EXAMINATION FORMS ARE PRESENTED

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